

CALIFORNIA NEWS
ITEMS IN BRIEF
Paragraphs of Interest to
Readers of Golden State

There are ten schools in Butte County that are without teachers for the coming term, according to the deputy county superintendent of schools.

The census bureau has announced the population of San Jose, Cal., as 39,604, an increase of 10,658 or 36.8 per cent.

A California woman has landed a 222-pound swordfish at Catalina. Many a poor fish weighing more than that has been landed by California women.

The dairymen of the Ponte Arena section of Mendocino county are organizing a cow testing association. About 600 cows have been signed up.

The American Legion of California at their annual convention at San Diego adopted unanimously a strong resolution demanding the exclusion of Japanese immigrants.

A shipment of Loch Leven rainbow and Eastern brook trout consisting of 230,000 fish fry, was planted in the Yuba river and its tributaries last week.

A marked increase in crime is noted in the report of the State Bureau of Criminal Identification, which is now being prepared for submission to Governor W. D. Stephens.

Car lot shipments of fruit for the year 1920 are 1340 cars below that of a year ago, according to figures issued by a Sacramento fruit company. In comparison with two years the balance is in favor of 1920 by over 200 cars.

Fifteen Lindsay orange growers have signed their intention of attending the week's tour of Southern California orange groves, under the direction of Tulare County Plant Pathologist Dr. P. A. Bonquet.

Susanville and vicinity were drenched by a heavy rain recently. While beneficial in some ways it has done considerable damage to grain which has not been threshed and to the second hay crop.

The first table and wine grapes from the Lodi section are now being shipped to the markets. The first carload of wine grapes brought \$140 per ton, a record price, despite prohibition.

According to Representative Clarence Lea, Marysville will be the next California city to be awarded a new postoffice building when Congress makes an appropriation for such a purpose.

With representatives from every section of the State present, the seventh annual convention of the California State Association of Funeral Directors was held at Oakland. George Welt of Santa Rosa presided.

Miller and Lux, Incorporated owners of cattle ranges in California, Nevada and Oregon, including several hundred thousand head of cattle, sheep and hogs, have filed a \$15,000,000 trust deed for their property, with the Kern county recorder.

The Yolo Flyers' Club new flying field, formerly the Woodland golf course, was dedicated recently. Over two hundred flights were made without untoward incident. The club owns two airplanes for the pleasure of its members.

Members of the State Funeral Directors' Association were asked to use all possible means to cut down the cost of funerals by F. J. Monahan, San Francisco undertaker and president of the San Francisco association, in an address recently before the convention.

George B. Bush of Riverside is being sought by Governor William D. Stephens to accept temporary appointment as head of the State Legislative Counsel Bureau in Sacramento to succeed Arthur P. Will, who has handed in his resignation, effective September 1st.

Forty pure bred registered Holstein-Friesians brought \$15,000 at the big sale at Patterson. They averaged \$380 a head, ranging from young calves to matured cows and bulls. Rag Apple Prilly Alcartra, 471503, heifer, belonging to the Bridgeford Holstein Company, Patterson, brought the top price, \$875.

The first carload of the new crop of almonds was shipped from Chico to New York City on August 20 by the California Almond Growers' Association, according to T. C. Tucker, manager of the association. The car contained 600 sacks of Nonpareil almonds, one of the earliest ripening varieties grown in California.

That Los Angeles will play an important part in the harvesting of the tremendous cotton crop of the Imperial Valley was evidenced when the Public Employment Bureau was called on to forward 2000 persons to that district to help pick the enormous blanket of commercial snow now ready for harvesting.

People would be a lot better if they could as much about Heaven's opinion as the neighbors'.

C. E. Morrow of Los Angeles has been appointed secretary for boys at the Y. M. C. A. of San Jose, coming as successor to Harold V. Lucas.

Redding lumber dealers find that the increase in freight rates will make all lumber coming from Portland cost \$2 more a thousand in Redding.

Residents of the McFarland district at a mass meeting here went on record protesting against the entrance of unassimilable aliens as residents of the community.

A meteor is reported to have fallen on the Taylor ranch, ten miles south of Santa Barbara, plowing a deep hole into the soil, according to reports received here today.

An announcement that there was plenty of labor available now in the Santa Clara valley to take care of all fruit crops was made by the state free employment bureau.

For the first time in the history of the "twin counties," growers of Yuba and Sutter are insuring their crops against any loss that may come from freaks of the elements.

A rain storm amounting almost to a cloudburst is reported between Strawberry and Mono pass. Snow fell at Center camp. Many camps suffered losses of outfits and roads were badly washed.

Bringing the detailed story of the rescue off the Lower California coast of the crippled steam yacht Louise, the destroyer Welles arrived at San Diego. The destroyer raced 200 miles to reach the yacht.

The second well of the Pittsburg municipal water works will be connected with the main tanks in the near future. This and the first well combined, will furnish the city unlimited supply of good water.

John Hale, owner of eighty acres in peaches a few miles south of Yuba City, received \$110,000 for his crop. He contracted his crop for \$110 a ton and his crop totaled 1000 tons of peaches.

Announcement is made by George Sim, superintendent of playgrounds of Sacramento, that a municipal dance for the negro residents of the city will be held in a local park on the night of September 1.

Because a Southern Pacific switching crew mistook a filled tank car for an empty one, Chico motorists went without 8000 gallons of gasoline recently, and a temporary gas shortage was the result.

An advance of \$2 a ton for coal was announced yesterday by J. F. Mullen, secretary of the Retail Coal Dealers' Association of San Francisco. The advance was made to absorb the 25 per cent freight rate increase.

The Sonoma county fair opened last week, with visitors from all parts of the county and counties adjoining Sonoma taking part in the festivities. Hundreds of people lined the streets to view the "million dollar" stock parade.

Oregon Agricultural College officials announce an egg-laying record by a pullet on the ranch of G. B. Coon, located just outside the city limits of Portland. For 131 consecutive days this pullet had laid an egg, and has laid 207 eggs in 219 days.

State Printer Robert Telfer announced that more than 200,000 pounds of paper will be used in printing the 1,400,000 folders containing the initiative and referendum measures, with the arguments for and against, to be voted on at the general election in November.

"The Legend of the Tules," a historical pageant, written especially for Tulare, to be produced with 250 Tulare county people on the stage, is to be the climax of the Tulare County Live Stock and Agricultural show, Thursday and Friday nights of fair week, September 14 to 18.

The hop picking season has opened in the Chico district, gangs of workers having started the harvest on the river ranch of M. B. Walker, one of the leading growers there, last week. The price for pickers this season is \$1.25 per hundred, an advance of 25 cents per hundred over the opening scale last year.

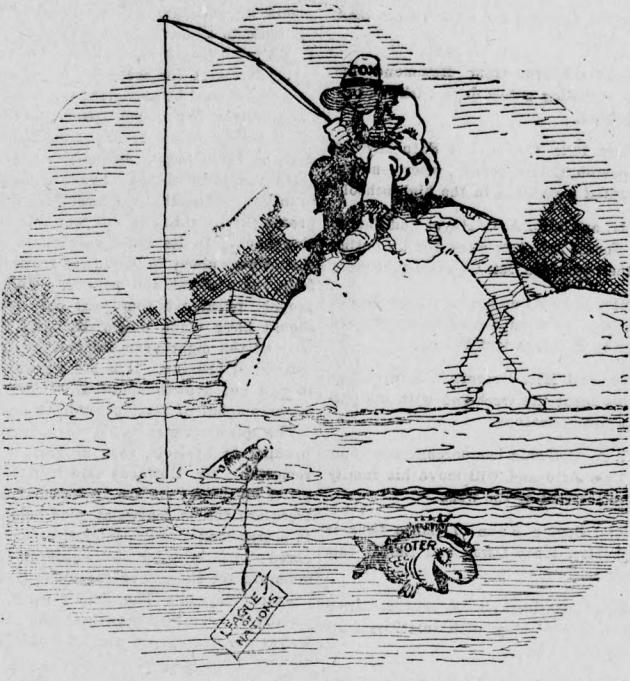
Announcement has been made by the Pacific Gas and Electric Company that it is preparing to develop the Pitt river power and irrigation project. In an application to the Railroad Commission, the company declared that 515,000 horse power can be produced with the completion of the plans now being considered.

In an effort to offset whatever action the city of Los Angeles might take toward securing additional sources of water supply for irrigation in the vicinity of Inyokern, the Inyokern-Fremont valley farmers in northwest Kern county have unanimously voted to ask the assistance of the Kern County Farm Bureau in the organization of the Inyokern Irrigation district, comprising at this time about 90,000 acres.

Aid for Spanish Red Cross.

The Iberian chapter of the American Red Cross, composed of Americans resident in Spain, has just contributed \$480 to a fund being raised by the Spanish Red Cross and the League of Red Cross Societies for the purpose of fighting malaria.

Bad Bait



Grant E. Hamilton of Judge.

VOTE IN STATE
LIGHT, CAPITAL
REPORTS SHOW
FEW SHARP CONTESTS

Word From Election Officers Indicates General Apathy Toward Primary.

Sacramento—Early reports from election officers in central and northern California showed the vote at Tuesday's primary was very light. Only in a few scattered districts where sharp contests for county or State legislative offices were in progress was the vote near normal strength.

Returns in State Voting
UNITED STATES SENATOR

County—	Pcts.	Kent.	Wald.
Alameda	31	608	1,063
Butte	21	308	218
Colusa	10	72	108
Fresno	52	440	291
Humboldt	1	18	20
Imperial	3	24	24
Kern	35	244	512
Kings	9	45	93
Los Angeles	60	837	624
Madera	7	54	119
Marin	10	233	151
Mariposa	2	13	38
Mendocino	5	87	123
Merced	7	82	182
Monterey	14	57	204
Napa	14	225	424
Nevada	7	73	109
Orange	49	311	504
Placer	15	123	149
San Diego	100	993	2,123
Plumas	2	27	34
Riverside	20	152	157
Sacramento	88	2,491	1,585
S. Bernardino	13	74	210
San Francisco	355	22,423	32,116
San Joaquin	41	873	955
San Mateo	12	207	453
Sta. Barbara	35	638	978
Sta. Clara	22	333	754
Shasta	8	56	167
Stanislaus	15	74	180
Tulare	21	159	171
Tuolumne	4	51	153
Ventura	5	77	95
Yolo	8	172	210
Yuba	4	41	27

CITRUS LEAGUE
PLAINT DENIED

Rate Protest Case Lost But Reparation Is Awarded on Refrigeration Charges.

Washington—The Interstate Commerce Commission Monday denied the complaint of the California Citrus League that rates on oranges and lemons to points in the territory between the Rocky mountains and the Atlantic seaboard, north of the Ohio and Potomac rivers, were unjust and discriminatory. Charges for refrigeration, to the extent that they include compensation for the cost of hauling ice, were found to be unreasonable and reparation was awarded by the Commission.

The district around Orland in Glenn county has a record of which it is justly proud. While it is considered the home of the pure-bred Jersey, and for its size, possesses more Jerseys than does any other section of the west, it still goes one step farther for the test records just completed by Dr. John S. Hay, Veterinary Inspector, State Department of Agriculture, do not show a single tubercular infected animal.

American Legion
Warning Issued

Oakland—For the purpose of rounding up men who are defrauding relatives of soldiers who died during the war Oakland Post, No. 5, of the American Legion has been notified of a national campaign to that end. The campaign is to be especially directed against swindlers who profess to furnish the relatives of a soldier with information concerning the latter's death and the location of his grave. The post has been warned to look out for these swindlers and assist in their arrest and prosecution. An instance of their activities is that of a swindler who wrote to the mother of a soldier that her missing son was in a certain city and would return home at once if the money for his railroad fare were provided. Later this man was arrested after he had sent the mother a telegram signed by her son's name and asking for \$35.

LEGALITY OF IMPORTING
LABOR TO BE TESTED

Salinas—The practice of the Spreckels Sugar Company of importing Mexican laborers under contract is to be tested in court. This became known Tuesday when Attorney Fred P. Feliz of this city filed applications in the Superior Court for writs of habeas corpus in behalf of Pedro Martinez, Juan M. Pena, Trinidad Contreras and Francisco Ramirez, who jumped their contracts and have been arrested. Although importation of laborers under contract violates a Federal statute, the statute was set aside during the war by a special order of the Department of Labor.

DELAY IN NAVAL BASE
PREDICTED BY CURRY

Sacramento—Congressman Charles F. Curry Tuesday said he does not believe there is any chance of the naval base being established in San Francisco bay or elsewhere during the term of the present administration. A Congressional committee is coming to the coast in November to investigate the location. Curry will appear before it as one of the advocates of Mare Island's advantages. Curry is the ultimate selection. The rival sites were too costly, he said.

The first aerial mail plane from St. Louis to Chicago completed the trip in three hours and fifty minutes actual flying time.

BRITISH MINE STRIKE
APPEARS INEVITABLE

London—A strike by the British coal miners seemingly was brought nearer Tuesday by a resolution passed by the "triple alliance," comprising the railway men, the transport workers and the miners, supporting the claims of the miners. It was decided to reassemble Wednesday to consider the further policy of the alliance.

Experiments in marking fish propagated in State fish hatcheries and planted in the streams of the State, as a means of arriving at some estimate of the percentage which grow to maturity, are being conducted at the Fall Creek hatchery at Hornbrook. During November, 1919, approximately 25,000 young king salmon were marked by clipping off the adipose and right ventral fins. Observations are said to have proven that small fish so marked can be identified at any age.

D. Leigh Colvin, prohibition vice-presidential nominee, has arrived in Los Angeles. He will deliver twenty speeches in his California campaign.

DR. F. H. PARKER



Dr. F. H. Parker, in charge of the leper colony on Penikese Island, Mass., is credited by Doctor Carey of the Massachusetts board of health with having effected the cure of two young men who have been confined to the leper colony for three years. Doctor Parker's treatment of the men consisted of plenty of fresh air and sunshine, good food, etc., and use of chemulga oil, imported from India, and sodium morrhuae and sodium gyrocardanite.

BELFAST DEATH
TOTAL, TWENTY
MCSWINEY LOSES SPEECH

Unionist and Nationalist Followers Join With Men in Belfast Rioting.

Belfast—Nine persons are dead as a result of Monday's rioting in this city, another man being killed Tuesday night and two of those wounded in Monday's disorders dying.

Revised reports as to casualties show that since the rioting began last Wednesday twenty have been killed. Knots of soldiers held strategic points in the affected areas during the night.

Ominous signs of further trouble ushered in the new day in riot-torn Belfast. The only actual outbreak reported early Tuesday afternoon was the stoning of employees of Mackie's foundry in the notorious Kashmir road district.

London—Lord Mayor MacSwiney is developing neuritis in both arms. His legs are already numb. He has lost the power of speech. His wife, Muriel, is by his bedside. Thousands outside the prison are chanting the rosary in unison.

"A transfusion of blood might save the life of Lord Mayor Terence MacSwiney; nothing else can," Dr. Higson, the prison physician, Tuesday was quoted as saying by Father Victor, the prison chaplain. The lord mayor has completed the nineteenth day of his hunger strike. His death is expected hourly. So slight a thing as the falling of a chair or the bang of a door might now produce the shock which would kill him. His mind remains clear.

FLEEING SOVIET
FORCES PREPARE
TO MAKE STAND

Russ Armies Plan for Resistance on Malanarewski River, Is Report.

London—The Poles have taken Suwalki, about forty miles northwest of Grodno, it is announced by Lithuanian representatives here. A Polish division is reported to be advancing on Seln, east of Suwalki.

Warsaw—Further gains on the northern front are reported in the Polish official communiques Tuesday. Polish troops occupied Augustowa, west of Grodno, where they were enthusiastically received by the population.

Lithuanian detachments encountered by the Poles have been most friendly. The Bolsheviks are continuing to give way before Polish pressure in the Bialystok sector, says the communication.

The Poles have occupied Sokolka, Grudsk and Narew. It is reported that the Russians are preparing to make serious resistance in the region of the Malanarewska river.

D'Annunzio Sets Up
Regency Over Fiume

Fiume—Gabriel d'Annunzio, Italian soldier-poet, who has held possession of the city of Fiume for nearly a year, made public the text of the constitution of a new state, "the Italian regency of Quarnero." The new nation will comprise the city of Fiume and several islands in the Adriatic. Its existence is to be officially decided September 11.

The constitution is a lengthy document and is written in a poetic style. It is subject to amendment every seven years, or oftener if changes are requested by one-third of the citizens of the state.

BIG PROGRESSIVE
DRIER A SUCCESS

The writer visited the new Progressive Evaporator at the F. O. Bohnett ranch this week to see the new patent sunshine dispenser outdo the sun in the prune drying business.

This plant, the first of its kind to successfully dry prunes, has a capacity of 12 tons per 18 to 24 hours and cures a much more attractive product with a richer flavor.

This process is accomplished by forcing heated air by means of fans through a series of six compartments of varying temperature and humidity, thereby causing a constant drying without injuring the fruit.

The fruit is dipped in the usual manner and the trays stacked on tram cars, each car carrying two tons of green fruit. The fruit is drawn by cable into the first compartment, where the temperature is lowest and the humidity highest, about 50 per cent. Here the fruit is given its initial heating, which thoroughly permeates the fruit. After about two hours of this the train moves on, each car of 40 trays occupying the compartments successively.

As the fruit proceeds on its way it is heated more and more until in the last compartment, where drying process is completed, a temperature of 160 degrees to 180 degrees is maintained. At the exhaust pipe a large (60-inch) fan drives half of the heated 50 per cent humid air out and half of it back to the hottest compartment, thereby providing against excessive hardening of the skins.

To insure better circulation through the fruit the tray sides are padded.

With this Progressive Evaporator each tray of fruit is handled but once after it leaves the dipper and this is at the time of dumping dried fruit to the storage bins. By this method the cost of handling is cut to about half and there are no "frogs" to sort out, which saves all the fruit.

Mrs. Bohnett stated that the net cost of drying one ton, the man in charge, fuel and power is only \$3. There is no worry for fear of rain, fruit is dried in two weeks' less time and earlier, enabling the grower to secure the premium for early delivery.

Mrs. Bohnett is now making a test of 300 pounds sun dried and 300 pounds Progressive dried to compare results in quality, grade and appearance. His Progressive dried fruit has been ready for market two weeks, while the other lot is still in the sun. He declares that if he had had this plant running at the time of the big rain in 1918 he could have saved his crop and cleaned up about \$25,000 with that and drying for others. This plant is a patent contrived by Mr. Hind, Mr. Reese and himself, now controlled by the Reese Blowpipe Co. of San Francisco. We are exhibited and Progressive Evaporated prunes. There is quite a difference in the appearance. Can you tell which is which?

SCHOOL FOR YANKS

Free educational service for ex-service men is part of the post-war program of the Y. M. C. A. in helping to get the men of the army and navy settled back into the life and ways of peace.

Many men on entering the military service were compelled to abandon plans for securing an education. Others are financially unable to carry out their educational program. They have to work for a living.

To meet the need of all such men, the United Y. M. C. A. Schools have been organized.

Any ex-service man who wishes to improve his mind may take advantage of this free service by acting at once, and may get what he needs in the educational line without cost to himself. Correspondence courses in a great variety of subjects are offered. Accounting, engineering, drafting, salesmanship, law, mechanics, motor work and many other practical courses are available.

Full information concerning this work may be secured from any Y. M. C. A. Inquiries in this vicinity may be addressed to the Y. M. C. A. of San Jose, or at San Francisco.

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DADDY'S EVENING FAIRY TALE

By Mary Graham
Donner Series

THE GREEN FROG.

"I'm a green frog, and as I tell you this you may be surprised, as you will say:



Wants to See.

"Aren't frogs usually green?"

"But I will have to tell you my whole story."

A little boy named Peter was sitting in a big chair. He had fallen fast asleep. He had just been given a present and had brought it home with him. It was a frog sitting on a green pond lily leaf, and at one end there was a little pond lily opened up to view, and resembling the natural lily.

The frog and the stand and the pond lily had been made by some boys in a pottery class in a big school. Peter had gone to see the school, or, rather, his mother had taken him there, and he had been so much interested in all that the different boys and girls had been doing. There was a pottery class and a millinery class and a cooking class and a drawing class, and there was a little print shop and all sorts of interesting things.

Well, Peter had admired the frog so much that it had been given to him, and he had brought him home in a piece of paper. The frog's head had stuck out of the piece of paper coming home and Peter said:

"He wants to see what is going on."

Then Peter had put him down on the table and he had sat beside him and had watched him.

He was of a bright green color, and just the same as the leaf and as the pond lily. Where the pond lily was cut out in the piece of pottery one could put some water and a little flower, and Peter had planned that he would get a flower the very next day and put it in water so the frog could look at it.

The frog was so real looking that it was hard for Peter to remember that the frog wasn't really real at all!

And Peter had fallen asleep as he had sat looking at his frog.

"Do you like me, eh?" the frog asked, and blinked his eyes.

"Oh, yes," said Peter, "and I was so glad when you were given to me. I was simply delighted."

"I looked at all the different things the boys had made in the pottery class and I thought to myself:

"Oh, if only I could have that frog, and then one of the boys asked me if I would like to have you!"

"Oh, it was just as though he had read my thoughts."

"Maybe he did," said the frog. "Maybe he did."

"And how did you like being made out of pottery?" asked the boy.

"Oh, I liked it," said the frog. "As I was being made so many other things were being made and we all got so interested in ourselves and in each other, and we behaved so well and let the boys do just as they wanted with us and didn't cause them any trouble."

"We wanted them to have a fine exhibition of pottery and so we did our best to help."

"Oh, it was such fun seeing a frog made of oneself. It was such fun. Goog-a-room, goog-a-room," said the frog.

"Why, frog," said Peter, "you talk like a regular frog."

"Of course I do," said the frog. "When I'm only in your dreams. When you wake up you'll find I'm just a nice pottery frog, but in your dreams I'll talk and talk and talk all you want me to. And I'll sing you a frog's song if you like."

"Oh, do," said Peter.

"I'm a frog, yet not a frog. I sit on something which is not a log. If I were real I'd sit on a log. But if I were real, I'd be a real frog."

"Fine, fine!" shouted Peter, and suddenly he awoke and saw the frog sitting before him, quite quiet, with his mouth shut tight; but he knew how much the frog could talk in his dreams. And it was enough that in Peter's wakeful moments he could look at and enjoy his beautiful pottery frog!

"Keep Your Standards High. Never yield to the temptation to do a thing which will lower your character. Whether the thing in question is the reading of an objectionable book, or slighting your work, or giving way to anger or envy, one of the worst things about it is that it lessens your self-respect. Since we have to be our own constant companions, not only in this world, but in the next as well, nothing can make up to us for doing a thing which impairs character."

—Girls' Companion.

ON THE FUNNY SIDE



Foolish Question.

"Would you advise me to keep out of politics?"

"Young man," replied Senator Sorghum, "you were born a citizen; the voting privilege is yours whether you desire it or not; you are going to be taxed and generally supervised by the people you assist in electing to office. There's no such thing as keeping out of politics."

History.

"You say your son is a great student of history?"

"Yes."

"But I never see him paying much attention to books."

"No. He is willing to let bygones be bygones. He gets the really important history fresh every day in the newspaper."

It Certainly Would.

"Pop."

"Yes, my son."

"Who was Pocahontas?"

"She was an Indian princess of Virginia, who saved John Smith's life."

"Well, pop, it would be some contract if she was called upon to do that same act for all the John Smiths today, now, wouldn't it?"

TAKING NO CHANCES.



"Dick, darling," hinted Mrs. Youngbride, "do you remember how we used to sit on one chair at papa's?"

"That was all right at papa's," replied the practical Dick, "but I'm not going to forget that these chairs cost me good money."

Too Much Optimism.

An optimist, too much inclined to sing a lazy song. Dreamed on, and then woke up to find that he was in all wrong.

Turning the Worm.

Mrs. Henpeck—Now, dearie, be sure to see that the suit you buy has a coat with a waist seam.

Henpeck (explosively)—I'll be—

Mrs. Henpeck (sharply)—You'll be what?

Mr. Henpeck (meekly)—Right in style if I do.

Nothingness.

"Mrs. Flimgilt thinks of nothing but clothes," said the critical woman.

"Yes," answered the man who observes superficially. "And after seeing her costumed for ballroom or bathing beach I should say that when she thinks of clothes she thinks of next to nothing."

Westminster's Wages.

The payment of M. P.'s has always been rather a vexed question, and there are two agitations going on at present. One is to increase the £400 a year, which they now get (and which, by the way, they voted themselves!), and the other is to decrease it—to nil, says London Answers. It is no new thing to pay members for their services. In olden times, however, they were paid by their local organizations, not out of public funds. A knight of the shire got 4s a day in Henry VIII's reign, and a citizen or burgher got 2s. A certain member for Harwich once sued his constituents for his wages and his claim was successful. Previous to the present arrangement of paying M. P.'s out of the treasury, they could claim that the common law still survived by which they were entitled to the salary fixed by custom.

Free.

Although a busy government. A tax to all things would apply. The railroads never charge a cent for leaving cinders in your eye.

Good Reason.

Hub—I don't see where women acquired their extravagance in dress. Eve wasn't that way.

Wife—Of course not. There was only one man in the world then and she had him.

SARATOGA CHIPS

Mrs. Phelps of Berkeley is visiting with Miss Jennie Farwell this week.

F. D. Sanders made a business trip to Santa Cruz on Friday.

Theodore Freelyn and Miss Ora Freelyn motored to Linden, Cal., Sunday.

Sam Rodoni is home from a hunting trip in Mendocino county.

Edwin Cox has a new Chalmers roadster.

Warren Sterne from Richmond has been spending a few days with his parents here.

Miss Icile Wilson left Saturday for Princeton, Colusa county, where she has accepted a position in the high school.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hayes and daughter Jennie left last week for an outing at their ranch in San Luis Obispo county.

Miss L. Dale, on her way from Mount Hermon to San Francisco, stopped over in Saratoga last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Wilson of Los Gatos spent the week-end with his parents near Saratoga.

R. A. McSwain has purchased a home in Palo Alto and will move his family there the first of the week.

Mrs. Sophia Kuhn of Santa Cruz is with Mrs. Mary Owen and family this week.

Mrs. Clara Buckley has returned from a two weeks' stay with relatives near Marysville Cal.

L. J. Hanchett and family moved into the Sanders cottage on Gardner lane Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Lipscomb came over from Santa Cruz the first of the week and were the guests of relatives.

James T. Richards recently sold a six-acre tract of land bordering on the road to Villa Montalvo to a man by the name of Scott.

Miss Mary Plant returned Tuesday to her school at Ontario, Cal. Her brother, H. T. Plant, accompanied her. It is a three days' journey to Ontario by auto.

The 40-acre ranch belonging to Mrs. Mary E. Cunningham, has been sold to Mr. Enright who comes from the southern part of the county.

Miss A. Naglee Burke of Oakland, who recently purchased the Dr. Wakefield ranch through the agency of Chas. C. Bell, as taken possession of the place.

Mrs. Anna O'Brien and son Leonard are guests in the Neil Carmichael home. Mrs. O'Brien is a sister of Mrs. Carmichael.

R. E. Henkle motored to Santa Cruz on Tuesday, where his family has been spending two weeks. They will all return home the last of the week.

Mrs. E. L. Gloyd and the Misses Gertrude and Dorothy Gloyd returned home Saturday from a motor trip to Lake Tahoe.

Miss Mary L. Phelan and Miss Rose Curran returned to San Francisco Monday after several weeks at Villa Montalvo.

Mrs. Arnold, matron of the Odd Fellows Home, has been enjoying a two weeks' vacation with a jolly crowd in the Yosemite. She will return home the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Stewart returned to their home in Berkeley Monday after a stay of several days with Mrs. Stewart's parents Mr. and Mrs. L. Russell. Mrs. Russell accompanied them home.

The Misses Clara and Ella Kellogg returned Monday from the state of Washington. They were accompanied by a nephew who attends the Montezuma Mountain Ranch School for Boys.

A fine buck was seen recently by George McCoy in the Montgomery orchard. Doc Thompson says it must have been one which his dogs were after that same day in the mountains, and it got away from them when it came down this way.

H. A. Clark had a call this week from H. G. Beale, a former roommate in the Ohio Agricultural College. Mr. Beale is treasurer of the Ohio Farm Bureau Federation and is with a party of the Middle West Farm Bureau touring this state, studying the workings of the various growers' organizations. On Tuesday and Wednesday the party visited the Prune and Apricot Growers' Association in San Jose.

PETROLEUM OUTPUT

Washington, D. C.—The output of petroleum in the United States during March showed an increase of 100,000 barrels over March, 1919, and of 400,000 over March, 1918.

AGRICULTURAL EXPERT VISITS THE DISTRICT

At a recent meeting held in Campbell Prof. W. L. Howard of the Mountain View branch of the U. of C. gave a talk on apricot culture and answered questions incident to other phases of orchard raising. He illustrated the newer method of pruning the apricot, and, among other things, said an apricot tree should be one year old when set out, cut back to about 30 inches, instead of the 18 to 20 inches, as has been customary. The next (or second) year three branches should be permitted to remain, preferably a few inches apart at point of issue from parent stem and radiating with as equal angles as possible. The third year tree should have five main branches. After that the most desirable pruning is by thinning out, not by cutting back. In its third year the tree should bear about 75 pounds of fruit, at four years about 150 pounds. Under proper pruning a four year old tree should have made a growth equal to that of the eight year old tree by old method of pruning. It is not according to age but growth made which determines amount of fruit possible to bear.

The question was asked about early pruning of apricots, soon as fruit was removed. Mr. Howard said "DON'T prune until the trees are dormant: if the trees are full of leaves of good color." If a tree look "sick" after the crop is cared for, in order to conserve the moisture for it, remove the undesirable "water" sprouts. The first growth is usually of shorter branches and the leaves are dark green and of a thicker texture than that of the later growth. It is the sap of this early growth which furnishes the tree nourishment. The second growth or water sprouts are usually long branches with thin leaves of a light green, and should be removed in late May or early June.

Heavy pruning causes wood growth and is not resorted to except to save the tree. It is necessary sometimes, but it is at expense of the fruit.

Brown rot is occasioned by spores from mold on rotten or mummified fruit, and naturally is promoted by cold and wet. It is not in the soil. All rotted or mummified fruit should be burned or buried deep to avoid infection, and trays and boxes should be sealed well or otherwise treated than by just cold water washing, before putting fresh or dried fruit into them. The presence of brown rot may be detected by a gum-like substance appearing on infected twigs. This should be removed from the trees. A spray of lime-sulphur applied just as the buds begin to swell will control it.

Peach curl, except on the Elberta, is readily controlled by the lime-sulphur spray.

Lime sulphur spray will control the twig borer. It can be applied by barrel outfit with as low as 75 pounds pressure and be effectual. For use after trees have been gone over for borers use a preparation of 2-3 distillate and 1-3 asphaltum. Cut over surfaces and wounds in trees should always be covered by paint or white lead and oil or a preparation especially prepared for the purpose by the Standard Oil Co.

All young trees when set out should be protected from sunburn for a couple of years by whitewashing the trunks. Some use yucca protectors, but whitewash is very satisfactory.

Stone fruits form their next year's fruit buds in August and September, and with good rains the process continues till January. Irrigation of stone fruits, particularly, can be overdone at certain times.

Professor Howard advocated No. 14 galvanized wire for tying up fruit trees instead of props. The approved method is to have wire ring or band about parent stem of tree from which the wire will radiate to fair-sized staples in the branches needing support. This holds the branches up nicely and can not be misplaced by wind, and will last for years.

Ants in trees or fruit may be overcome by a paste prepared with honey and placed in covered tins or boxes, the preparation goes and so do the ants.

Professor Howard spoke of the water "table" or level being this year, in most cases, 2 foot below that of last year and suggested that as the reason of large numbers of trees dying. In some places, where water was 30 inches from surface the water table has now receded to 60 inches from the surface, showing the necessity of unusual care and attention being given the orchards to preserve them.

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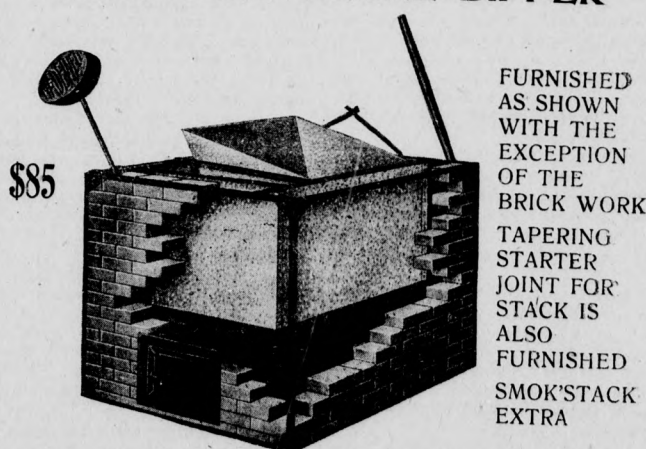
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You may find it particularly hard to supply the need of meat. Right here the canned meats, Corn Beef, Lunch Tongue, Veal Loaf, will come handy. Cheese and Eggs and canned Pork & Beans, too, will help tide over the two days.

There'll be no bread baked until Tuesday; so whether you bought on Saturday or on Monday, it would be all the same bread. You can keep it as fresh as any one can. It's just as well, then, to provide enough bread to last over.

If you forget any necessity that you depend upon us to supply, we'll be sorry. Don't do it. Sit down and make a list of your needs for Sunday and Monday.



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Locals and Personals

Fancy stationery? See Smith.

G. C. Bradford has sold his property on Sunnyside avenue to E. R. Kennedy.

E. C. Merrill is building a substantial addition to his home on Campbell avenue.

The R. A. Holmes family have moved to the house on South Central avenue just vacated by Dr. Stallman.

Mrs. E. C. Merrill and children went to Santa Cruz last week where they are enjoying a delightful vacation.

W. J. Rice, who is remodeling his home on Los Gatos road, is making a very neat bungalow in the process.

Miss Eleanor Carter returned last week from Missouri, where she had spent part of the summer visiting her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Easton Carter were down from Palo Alto Sunday to celebrate Mrs. Carter's natal day with the family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Phelps returned Friday from their fishing and camping trip to Shingle Springs in the high Sierra.

Work has been started on the house of Mrs. Hattie Baugh on North Second street and will be pushed as rapidly as possible.

Dr. G. E. Stallman has moved to the Strom home which they will occupy jointly, while Mr. Strom is erecting his new house.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Hancock and son Fraser left this week for an auto trip south with no definite point in view but a vacation and rest.

Olaf Strom has begun on the garage for his new home and as soon as completed will begin on the house, which will be a modern seven room bungalow, 33 x 55 feet.

The Epworth League is planning a big picnic and watermelon feed at Alum Rock Park this Friday evening. The party will leave the church shortly after 6:30, going by truck.

Earl T. Cook is here from Santa Ana for a few days' vacation. He has left the telephone service and is with one of the citrus companies passing out choice oranges to hungry travelers.

Mrs. Francis Swane and son Elwood leave today for Coalinga, where Mrs. Swane is one of the successful teachers. Miss Mary Fablinger has taken her place at the Hyde kindergarten.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Dunphy enjoyed a two days' visit from their daughter, Miss Harriet and Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Dunphy and their friends Mr. and Mrs. Langer, both of San Francisco.

Miss Kittie Johnson and Miss Elsie Wood returned Monday evening from their outing at Fallen Leaf Lake, where they had a most delightful time and returned with reluctance to everyday life.

Vernon Miller, son of Mrs. Roy Miller of the Hyde Cafeteria, suffered a badly burned arm Sunday evening when a home made engine boiler worked too well and deluged him with boiling water.

Jos. Bohnett and daughter Miss Grace left Sunday morning for Michigan, where they will visit relatives. Mr. Bohnett's sisters who live there are not very well and he decided upon a visit before winter sets in.

C. B. Miracle and George Whitney returned last week from their outing in the Sierra and are already aching for another one. Fish and game are plentiful but their luck was only fair. The trout were not particularly good there.

Mr. and Mrs. Sutter returned the first of the week from their camping trip. They experienced a rain one night which decided them to go to Santa Cruz and remain. Many campers in the Big Basin "hit the trail" as quite a heavy rain fell there.

Donald Fell and I. V. Perrott have taken the cottage belonging to Mrs. Gilman on Minna street, where Mr. and Mrs. Emarrk have resided. The last named have moved into San Jose, where their daughter, Miss Ethel, has been employed for some time.

E. C. Merrill went to Fresno Tuesday with an auto truck of household goods for Mrs. Calista Atkinson. She and Miss Minnie went the same day to get settled before the opening of school. Mr. Merrill will also do the moving for the G. E. Atkinson family, who go to Ceres about the 9th of this month.

ELECTION RETURNS

The primary election of August 31st 1920, is history and every voter who did his duty, as a good citizen helped make it. With the exception of a few outlying precincts practically all the returns are in.

In the United States Senatorial race Shortridge led with 103,440, Kent 75,525 and Wallace 51,993. Santa Clara county gave Shortridge 6334, Kent 3624 and Wallace 4632.

In Campbell district Wallace polled a large plurality over his opponents.

The county contests resulted as follows:

Campbell Precinct	1	2	3
State Senator:			
A. E. Osborne	47	56	90
James Turner	33	28	22
Assemblyman:			
H. R. Chesbro	19	13	16
T. M. Wright	60	77	92
Superior Judge:			
P. B. Brown	54	79	74
Thos. R. Dougherty	12	10	14
P. F. Gosbey	77	91	103
J. J. Jury	26	21	35
Robert Syer	31	20	33

FIRE DAMAGES HOME

The F. O. Bohnett residence east of town narrowly escaped destruction by fire early Wednesday morning. Mrs. Bohnett was aroused by a strong smell of smoke and on awakening Floyd it was discovered that the inner wall was ablaze almost to the roof. By quick head work and a plentiful application of water the blaze was extinguished.

Brothers Calvin and Ralph were summoned and were able to assist in the fight. One wall in the kitchen was destroyed and the ceiling and upstairs wall badly damaged.

The fire was caused by the auto-electric heater for the hot-water tank. It was a close call for this big home, and Floyd is mighty thankful to have a roof over his head today.

Miss Lois Andrews and Paul Gross, two popular young people of Campbell, were married in San Francisco Saturday August 28. They are living at the Andrews home on Meridian road at present but expect to go south after the fruit season.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Thompson of Albion, Nebraska, were calling on friends in Campbell this week. They are visiting their son Charles at Oakland and motored down to see their former home. They look forward to returning to California to remain.

Mrs. M. E. Hill and Miss Marshman, who have been in San Jose for two months on account of illness, returned to their home in Campbell Tuesday. They are greatly improved although still suffering from the effects of their illness, a very bad foot and a severe case of bronchitis.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Keusch and children were guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Cramer Friday and Saturday while looking for a location. They have taken temporary quarters with Miss A. E. Denton on Rincon avenue. Mr. Keusch is the new member of the high school faculty.

E. E. Phelps has sold his property to Thomas Lamb, who recently arrived from Iowa with his wife, son and daughter. Mr. and Mrs. Phelps will probably go to Quincy to visit their daughter for a while but may locate here again. We extend the glad hand to our new neighbors and hope for an early return of our old friends.

THANKS FRIENDS

San Jose, Cal., Sept. 1, 1920.

Editor Press,

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Weekly Hints to Tire Users

By E. T. WALKER

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It is a strange coincidence that the canine appetite for chickens is keenest during the prune picking season for that is the time they raid the coops and clean the roosts.

It is barely possible that dogs are used for decoys to draw the shot that universally follows the awakening of the owner of the fowls, but if the eye could follow into the darkness it might discern the real culprit, who is probably more adept at picking chickens than picking prunes.

Therefore, don't lay it on the dog until you catch him with the goods.

FIDO.

WHAT'S THE USE?

What's the use o' gettin' mad
'Cause our world's a riddle?
If the ends o' life are bad,
Take things in the middle.

If the apple that you've got
Makes you sort o' squirmy,
Turn it 'round; as like as not
T'other side ain't wormy.

Take your kiddin' with a smile;
'Tain't no use o' balkin'.
Run your bases all the while
Some one else is knockin'.

Life ain't such a dismal plan
When you come to view it,
If you do the best you can,
Whistlin' while you do it.

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J. Pardee, Secretary.

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Morning Light Lodge, No. 42, meets every Thursday evening in Odd Fellows Hall. Sojourning brothers are cordially invited to attend the lodge meetings.
Wm. Bachman, Noble Grand.
E. C. Merrill, Secretary.

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Brotherhood of American Yeomen
Orchard City Homestead No. 5265 meets 1st & 3rd Wednesdays of each month in I. O. O. F. Hall at Campbell. All Yeomen are cordially invited to attend meetings.
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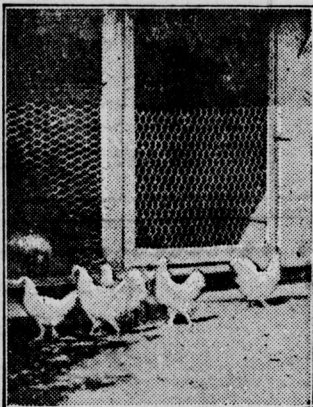
FARM POULTRY

CONSTRUCTION OF HEN HOUSE

More Fowls Can Be Kept on Small Floor Area Under Colony Than on Intensive System.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

A house constructed for the convenience of the attendant will have enough cubic air space provided 2 to 5 square feet of floor space is allowed per fowl. Fresh air should be secured by ventilation rather than by furnishing a larger amount of cubic air space than is required for the convenience of the attendant. The necessary amount of floor space depends upon the system, on the size of the pens, the weather conditions, and the size of the birds. More birds can be kept on a small floor area under the colony than on the intensive system, where the colony system is used in a mild climate and the hens have free range throughout most of the year. Colony houses holding from 30 to 75 hens are about as large as can be



An Open-Front Poultry House Keeps Hens Healthy.

easily moved, but larger numbers may be kept in one flock in a long house. Flocks of from 60 to 150 are well adapted to the average conditions for the production of market eggs. Large numbers require less labor, fewer fences, and a lower house cost than small flocks, but there is a greater chance for disease and the individual hen receives less attention.

TEN WAYS TO PREVENT LOSS

First, Select Pure Breeds That Lay More and Larger Eggs—Collect Eggs Frequently.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

1. Selecting pure breeds that lay more and larger eggs, such as the White Leghorns, Wyandottes, Plymouth Rocks, Rhode Island Reds, Orpingtons, etc.
2. Giving better care, food, and shelter, with dry, clean, vermin-proof nests.
3. Confining males except in breeding season.
4. Collecting eggs frequently, especially in hot or muggy weather.
5. Storing eggs in a dry, clean, cool place.
6. Using small and dirty eggs at home.
7. Marketing frequently, with protection at all times from heat.
8. Selling for cash on a basis of size and quality, "loss off" instead of "case count."
9. Using an attractive package.
10. Combining shipments as a matter of economy.

PROPER CARE FOR GOSSLINGS

As Young Fowls Grow Older They Consume Considerable Grass and Other Green Stuff.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

The brooding and feeding of goslings is not much different from that of ducklings except as the goslings grow older they consume considerable grass and other growing green material and in that way cut down their feed bill. They can be allowed free range when they are two weeks old. Goslings are seldom brooded artificially but will do well with mother geese, hens or even ducks.



Provide a nest for each 4 or 5 hens.

Feed table and kitchen waste to the hens.

Give a light feed of grain in the morning.

Begin marketing the cockerels as soon as they weigh one pound or attain a marketable weight.

When selling eggs to the country merchant or cash buyer insist that the transaction be on a quality basis.

Eggs from "stolen" nests should not be marketed; they are of unknown age and quality and should be used at home.

YOUR RED CROSS



The American Red Cross, by its Congressional charter, is officially designated:

To furnish volunteer aid to the sick and wounded of armies in time of war, in accordance with the conventions of Geneva.

To act in matters of voluntary relief and as a medium of communication between the American people and their Army and Navy.

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November 11-25, 1920.

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FIRST AID TRAINING TO MEN AND WOMEN

American Red Cross Is Teaching Hundreds of Thousands Life-Saving Methods.

The purpose of instruction in First Aid to the injured offered by the American Red Cross is to train men and women to administer First Aid treatment promptly and intelligently when emergencies demand it. First Aid treatment is not intended to take the place of a physician's service. A surgeon should always be summoned as a precautionary measure where there is an injury of any consequence, but when one cannot be secured a few minutes' delay may mean a fatality. In such a case a person trained in First Aid is invaluable not only to the individual, but through him to the community in which he lives.

There is perhaps no way of ascertaining the number of deaths or serious disabilities which result from lack of proper safeguards or prompt emergency treatment. It is safe to assert they number thousands daily. There can be no doubt that the application of First Aid methods to each case would immeasurably lighten the country's toll of suffering and death.

The dissemination of First Aid training and information has already produced a far-reaching and beneficial influence in the prevention of accidents on railroads, in mines and in great industrial concerns.

The benefit of a widespread knowledge of First Aid in the event of a great disaster, such as a train wreck, an explosion, an earthquake, etc., is obvious. Laymen who have had First Aid training can render efficient assistance. Many lives may depend upon such emergency care.

Red Cross First Aid work includes (1) the formation and conduct, through Red Cross chapters, of classes for instruction in accident prevention and First Aid to the injured among men and women in all communities and in every industry; (2) the introduction of courses of instruction in high schools and colleges.

The Red Cross is prepared to supply First Aid books and equipment at reasonable prices.

Every person in this country able to do so should, in his own interest, receive Red Cross First Aid instruction. Information about the course and instruction classes may be had at the nearest chapter headquarters.

RED CROSS EXTENDS RELIEF TO POLAND

More than \$5,000,000 has been spent by the American Red Cross in aiding the stricken people of Poland. The organization has nursed the sick, fed the starving, clothed the naked, sheltered the homeless, schooled the children and cared for the orphans there. It has conducted a relentless fight against typhus, cholera and other terrible diseases. So today millions of men and women in that resurrected nation speak in grateful appreciation of "The Greatest Mother in the World."

Nearly 200 American Red Cross workers are now engaged in relief activities in Poland. Four large relief bases are in operation and eleven mobile units are in the field. During the last twelve months this organization was largely instrumental in the re-establishment of a million refugees at a cost for general relief of more than \$1,000,000. Last winter one-half million war orphans were aided materially, and since then a series of large orphanages have been established to give them permanent care.

But for American Red Cross aid, officials of Poland declared recently, millions of people in that country would have perished of disease, exposure or starvation the last eighteen months. And the work there must be kept up for another year.

DENTISTS' ETHICS

Some dentists are still in doubt as to whether it is ethical to advertise. "Ethical" is a somewhat foolish word in such a connection since the only ethics involved in advertising are those of honesty of statement. It may be necessary or unnecessary for a man to advertise, but it can never be unethical if he tells the truth, and truthful advertising is the only advertising that pays. "Etiquette" is a better term but strong men hesitate to use it except as applied to matters of honor in professional conduct. In connection with advertising it means no more than convention, and a convention without a valid reason is merely superstition. Bankers used to think it etiquette not to advertise, but they have come to realize that anyone engaged in a useful public service is adding to that service by letting the public know just what he is doing. A majority of the dentists are said to favor publicity but the minority is opposed, and they furnish the amazing reason that if the people were fully informed of the need of better care of the teeth the profession would be swamped with patients! Nobody wants to see the dental arm paralyzed with overwork, and yet, if there is anything the people should know, is it "ethical" to keep them in ignorance?—S. F. Bulletin.

IN NO DANGER.



Wife—The fact there are germs on money doesn't worry me!
Hub—No, my dear. It would take a pretty active germ to hop from the money to you during the brief time you have it.

FARMERS' COMMITTEE VISITS LOS ANGELES

Los Angeles.—A committee of the American Farm Bureau Federation, representing more than 1,000,000 farmers in thirty-three states, arrived in Los Angeles Monday night to pass several days in study of Southern California co-operative growing and marketing systems.

The committee came here after a day passed in San Bernardino and Riverside counties, visiting citrus groves and packing-houses.

"Give me one for Paul!" said "Now, what do you say?" Grandmother turned to Gerald and which he silently accepted. The grocer gave Gerald an apple. Gerald with her, Paul being asleep, walked to the nearby grocery, taking city. One afternoon grandmother, taking their grandmother in a distant Paul and Gerald, twins, were visiting what he said.

A SCHOLAR'S PROTEST.

"Ah! A Romeo and his Juliet," remarked Mr. Dubwaite, as a loving pair strolled past.
"My dear sir," said Professor Diggs, "I have a great admiration for Romeo and Juliet as portrayed by the immortal Shakespeare. Apply the names of those graceful and romantic figures to a bow-legged young man in a 'waist-line' coat and a calclimined young woman wearing a hobble skirt does great violence to my feelings."

Going the Rounds.

"That new nursemaid of Mrs. Styles seems a very obliging girl," said the lady in the satin jumper.
"What make you say so?" asked her friend in the purple gingham.
"Well, yesterday morning I saw her out with Mrs. Styles' baby, in the afternoon with Mrs. Styles' dog, and in the evening with Mrs. Styles' husband."—London Answers.

HER QUESTION.



"For the past decade," declared the grocer, "women have been neglecting the home more or less."
"Well," said the woman, "if we keep that up about 6,000 years, we'll be about square with the men, won't we?"
After considering a while he did not attempt to refute her statement.

Boost Him.

I'm very fond
Of William Black.
He never talks
Behind my back.

Her Mistake.

Aunt—You should take more interest in what is going on. Why don't you read the newspapers so that you can converse intelligently with your husband.

Young Wife—I tried to, but I made a mistake. I read about the League of Nations instead of the baseball news.

Easy Pickings.

"Why does this convicted stock swindler shed tears over the prospect of spending five years in the penitentiary. That isn't a long term."

"It seems long to him. He's afraid by the time he gets out all the boobies will be separated from their liberty bonds."

Merits of the Professor.

"I've just been introduced to Professor Smart. Such a charming man to talk to; he doesn't make one feel like a fool in spite of his cleverness."

"Ah, my dear, that's because of his cleverness."

The Sugar and the Fly.

Vestryman (at meeting)—We must now take up the problem of getting our boys to church.

New Minister—That problem will solve itself if we can get our pretty daughters to go.

Tuskless Elephants.

An elephant without tusks seems almost impossible, yet in Ceylon the male elephants have no tusks at all; they have miserable little grubbers projecting two or three inches from the upper jaw and inclining downwards. Nothing produces either ivory or horn in fine specimens throughout Ceylon. Although some of the buffaloes have tolerably fine heads, they will not bear a comparison with those of other countries. The horns of the native cattle are not above four inches in length. The elk's and the spotted deer's antlers are small compared with deer of their size in India. This is the more singular, as it is evident from the geological formation that at some remote period Ceylon was not an island, but formed a portion of the mainland. It is thought that there must be elements wanting in the Ceylon pasturage for the formation of ivory.

Art of Literature.

L'art de bien dire is but a drawing-room accomplishment unless it is pressed into the service of the truth. The difficulty of literature is not to write, but to write what you mean; not to affect your reader, but to affect him precisely as you wish. This is commonly understood in the case of books or set orations; even in . . . writing an explicit letter, some difficulty is admitted by the world. But one thing you can never make Philistine natures understand; one thing, which yet lies on the surface, remains as unseizable to their wits as a high flight of metaphysics—namely, that the business of life is mainly carried on by means of this difficult art of literature, and according to a man's proficiency in that art shall be the freedom and the fullness of his intercourse with other men.—R. L. Stevenson.

Couldn't Hurt That Toad.

There are many surprising stories about toads, observes Philip Hale, editor of the "As the World Wags" column in Boston Herald. Here is one of them, taken from a book containing the names and crimes of people in Northumberland, England. In 1793 a stone mason, Mr. George Wilson, "wantonly immured" a toad in a wall he was building, making for the toad a close cell of lime and stone, to fit it snugly, and plastering to prevent the admission of air. Sixteen years afterward a gap was made in the wall so that carts could pass through. The toad was found alive. Torpid at first, it was soon active, so that it made its way to a pile of stones and disappeared. There were cruel men in Northumberland. Mr. Thomas Anderson was punished in 1681 for playing on a bagpipe before a bridegroom on a Sunday. Among the women, Elizabeth Mills was brought into court for scolding and drying fish on the Lord's day.

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